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THEATRE-ROYAL.

On FRIDAY, July 31. will be presented,

The last New Farce of

THE PRISONER AT LARGE.

After which will be performed,

A Comedy, in Three Acts, called the

PANNEL.

Muscato, Mr WILSON;
Lazarillo, Mr ARCHER;
And Don Carlos, Mr WOODS.
Marcella, Mrs COATS;
And the Part of Beatrice by
By Mrs JORDAN.

To which will be added,

The Musical Entertainment of the

ROMP.

The Part of Priscilla Tomboy, the Romp,
By Mrs JORDAN.

(Being the last time of her performing that Character this Season.)

Tickets to be had, and places for the boxes taken of Mr GIBB at the Office of the Theatre, or at his house, Baxter's Land, north end of the Register Office.

George's Street Assembly Rooms.

MR STABILINI

BEGS leave, in the most respectful manner, to acquaint the Public, That as the hour, inadvertently fixed upon for his CONCERT on Wednesday, interfered with the time of the Race, he has, by advice of his friends, postponed it to Saturday the 1st of August, at twelve o'clock noon.

Tickets 3 s. each, to be had at all the Music Shops, and at the Assembly Rooms.

DUNN's HOTEL.

On Saturday next the first of August, at twelve o'clock,

THERE will be a PUBLIC BREAKFAST, for the benefit of COUNT BORUWLASKI;

In the course of which the Count will perform some select pieces on the Guittar.

Tickets, at 3 s. 6 d. each, may be had at the Hotel, or at the Count's Lodgings, No. 4. St Andrew's Street, where he continues to receive Company every day, from ten in the morning till three, and from five to nine.—Admittance *One Shilling.*

*** The Count will positively quit this place on Friday the 7th of August.

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And incomparable FEATS of

MANLY STRENGTH AND ACTIVITY,

Upon one, two, and three HORSES,

BY MESS. JONES AND PARKER'S TROOP,

From their Amphitheatre, London;

Consisting of Nine of the most capital Performers in Europe,

Who will display

THEIR UNPARALLELED EXHIBITIONS,

At the Circular Riding-school in Dr Hopes Park, adjoining the Physical Gardens, Leith Walk,

Every Day this Week.

N. B. Particulars of the performances will be expressed in hand-bills for the day.

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And this day is published and Sold

BY C. ELLIOT, PARLIAMENT SQUARE,

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Of C. ELLIOT may be had, just received last night,

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PROFESSORSHIP OF AGRICULTURE.

THE Vacancy of this Institution having deserved his nomination of a Professor for five or six months, requests that they who have given in their general scheme of Lectures, or who are inclined to do so, would, on or before the 25th of December next, lodge with the Secretary of the University of Edinburgh, directed to the Founder, &c. &c. a Dissertation on the following questions:

1*st*, In what manner ought Land *too strong for Turnips* to be cultivated, manured, and cropt? with the most proper instruments for these purposes, and an estimate of the expence and profit.

2*dly*, In what manner ought Land fit for Turnips to be cultivated, manured, and cropt? with the most proper instruments for these purposes, and an estimate of the expence and profit.

Supposing both sorts of Land to be inclosed, drained, and in good order, and fit for the crops suited to their respective soils, and that the rent, including tythe, is reckoned at 16 s. 6 d. per English acre.

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FRESH MEDICINES.

ROBERT BURT (Grand Nephew to the late Mrs Macdonald, Druggist in Edinburgh, and who attended her Laboratory upwards of seven years) respectfully informs, That he has begun business in the second shop above the entry to Paterson's Court, Lawn Market, Edinburgh, where he has laid in a complete assortment of Fresh Medicines, simple and compound; also Patent Medicines, and (which are to be had no where else) the much esteemed Heartburn Tablet, Mrs Grant's Pills, and a powder known by the name of *Mrs Billingsley's Worm Powder.*

Robert Burt will always make it his study to keep none but Medicines of the best quality, and at the most reasonable rates. *To be had as above,*

The much approved of POLYCHREST or STOMACHIC PILLS.

WANTED AN APPRENTICE.

GENUINE ESSENCE OF AMERICAN SPRUCE.

THE Public are respectfully informed, That the Essence of Canadian Spruce, as prepared by the late Inventor and Patentee, Mr Henry Taylor of Quebec, is sold by appointment, only by R. SCOTT, Druggist, South Bridge, Edinburgh.

That the reputation which this Essence has justly acquired as a powerful antiscorbutic, and effectual remedy in all complaints arising from a vitiated state of the juices, may not be injured by the pernicious effects of a spurious sort that has been introduced since the consumption became so general; the label on every pot will in future be signed by Henry Taylor, son of the late Patentee. It is put up in pots at 2 s. 6 d. hitherto sold at 3 s. 6 d. and in proportion for larger sizes, with directions for making it into beer.

R. SCOTT has just received a fresh supply of GODBOLD's BALSAM, for Consumptions. VELNO's VEGETABLE SYRUP, and a very general assortment of the most celebrated GENUINE PATENT MEDICINES.

N. B. Alkaline Aerated Water, prepared as formerly.

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Likewise to be had as above,

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☞ At the above Warehouses are always kept an elegant assortement of Harpsichords, grand and common Piano Fortes, by the most approved of Makers.—Likewise every article in the Musical Branch.

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At the same Shop may be had, particularly adapted, and very useful for Gentlemen travelling, or Gentlemen's Servants keeping their masters accompts, [illegible] LIST of the different STAGES upon the east, west, and middle roads from Edinburgh to London, shewing the distance betwixt each stage, according as they are charged for posting; with columns for the date and different expences necessary upon the road, such as carriage and carriage horses, saddle horses, tolls, ostler and post-boys, corn and hay, breakfast, dinner, supper, drink, waiter, and chambermaid, &c.

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PAINTINGS.

There is now on Exhibition and Sale, in the large Room in the late Lord President's house, South Bridge Street,

A COLLECTION of PAINTINGS by the most eminent Artists, the property of the late Walter Ross, writer to the signet. There are in this Collection, among other valuable Pictures capital specimens of the works of the following masters, viz.

Panini,	Brughel,	Weenex,
Rubens,	Cuyp,	Hemskirk,
Peter de Nieff,	Teniers,	Coypel,
Rembrandt,	Claude Loraine,	Jordan of Antwerp, &c.
Vanderveldt,	Fergue,	

The knowledge and natural good taste of the proprietor, cultivated by the opportunities of access, which he has had for several years to all the sales and exhibitions in London, have enabled him to make a judicious, though not a numerous collection, remarkable for the respectability of the masters, the variety of the subjects, and the originality of the Pictures.

There will likewise be sold, a number of ANTIQUE BUSTS, BRONZES, &c. collected in London at a considerable expence. These, as being seldom to be met with in this country, merit the attention of the virtuoso and antiquarian.

The paintings are all in good condition, and most of them elegantly framed.

The hours of exhibition and conditions of sale, are particularly mentioned in the Catalogues, which are to be had at the shop of Mr Hill bookseller, Cross, price 1 s.

No admittance without a Catalogue.

☞ *The Pictures remaining unsold will be disposed of by public auction, on Monday and Tuesday next, at twelve o'clock noon of each day.*

HIGHLAND SOCIETY OF SCOTLAND.

A GENERAL MEETING of the SOCIETY, in terms of their charter, is to be held in the Hall, Carrubber's Close, on Saturday the 1st day of August next, at twelve o'clock noon. It is requested of the Members then in town to attend precisely at the time of meeting; as, besides the ordinary business, there is to be a ballot on several applications for the admission of New Members; and, by the rules of the Society, no ballot can proceed till twenty Members are present.

It is proposed that the Members shall afterwards dine at Bayll's, at four o'clock; and names, as usual, to be left with the waiter, on or before Friday the 31st instant.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Moray, Vice President, in the Chair.

Robert Dundas, Esq; of Arniston, another of the Vice-Presidents, Croupier.

By Order of the Directors,

Monday, July 20. 1789. JOHN LESLY, Dep. Sec.

DIRECT FOR ST PETERSBURGH,

THE NEPTUNE OF LEITH.

CAPT. BALFOUR Master,

A good ship, sails well, will sail in about eight days from this date.

For freight or passage, apply to Peter [illegible]ncis Forrester, and Co. Leith, or to Peter Forrester, Edinburgh.

Leith, July 28. 1789.

This day is published—price 2 s. 6 d. sewed,

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TO THE

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With NOTICES of N***L CHARACTER.

Qui capit, ille facit.

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BY A QUONDAM SUB.

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NEW STAFFORDSHIRE

STONE WARE-HOUSE.

COCKSON and JARLINE, Dealers in China Glass and Stone Ware, beg leave to inform their Friends and the Public, That they have just got to hand a large assortment of Staffordshire Ware, Tea and Table Sets of different qualities and colours, which will be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their shop, Bristo-port, Edinburgh, and south side of Prince's Street, New Town.

Ils sont trop [illegible] pour les yeux,
Dessous [illegible] les font des envieux.

DESPREAUX.

INterested Persons having industriously circulated a report, that DANL. M'KINNON has declined Business, he feels himself necessitated to contradict so groundless an insinuation; and greatefully to inform his Friends and the Public, That he continues to make *Wigs* and *Ornamental Hair* in the newest taste, which by the introduction of a late invented ELASTIC SPRING, makes them keep so fast a hold that the most violent exercise will not alter their position, or make them sit ungracefully. The awkward manner in which a number of Wigs are formed is sufficient to deter gentlemen from wearing them; but D. M'K. is so confident of the utility of this invention, that he will not object to his work being returned, if it does not give satisfaction.

High Street, head of Chalmers's Close.

SHOOTING TACKLE.

JOHN MUIR, IRONMONGER,

At the GILDED PADLOCK, Front of Exchange, Edinburgh, INFORMS his friends and the public, that he has just got to hand a large supply of SHOOTING APPARATUS of the newest and best kinds, particularly some Gun Powder, which is remarkably strong, and quick at taking fire, having little or no glazing; and Watts's new-invented Patent Shot, which, for roundness and solidity, is greatly superior to any other shot. His FLINTS this season are uncommonly fine, having been purchased by a friend in London, who is an excellent judge.

At his Shop, as usual, a large Assortment of Hardware, Japanned, and Cutlery Goods on reasonable terms; also the New-Invented BOTTLE-CAGES, the simplest and best contrivance ever used to prevent the frequent accidents that happen by bottles breaking when very hard corked, and renders the drawing of them so easy, that a child may pull out the hardest drove cork, without the least danger, even though the bottle be cracked, which is sometimes the case, and often produces very bad consequences.

Fine HYSON and BLACK TEAS of qualities that may be depended on, and as cheap as any in town.

SELLING VERY LOW,

LINENS, MUSLINS, DIMITTIES,

BLACK SILKS, &c.

EBENEZER GAIRDNER, LINEN MANUFACTURER, and Gentry, and his Friends in general, for the encouragement he has received these many years past, during his most anxious, studious, and expensive improvements in the figured branches, both Damask and Diaper, which he has brought to that perfection never before known in this country; and with which he gained the highest premiums for many years, till he was debarred from competing by the Hon. the Board of Trustees, he having gained the full number of premiums stipulated by them: And has the pleasure of informing them, that his Damask, both for elegance of figures, and fabric of cloth, is purchased by foreigners in many parts of Europe.

At his WARE ROOM at the CROSS, has just received from the Bleaching, of his own manufacture, a very large and elegant assortment of

PLAIN AND FIGURED LINENS,

Which he will answer for the wear of, being made of the richest flax; and his friends may depend that the following articles shall not be bought any where lower than *at the Cross of Edinburgh.*

A large assortment of INDIA MUSLINS—being part of the last sales.

Hollands,	*Diapers,*	*Muslinets,*
Sheetings,	*Towelling,*	*Corded Dimitties,*
Cambrics,	*Glass Cloths,*	*Clear Lawns,*
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Likewise, a new and neat assortment of

BLACK LUTSTRINGS AND MODES.

Some Russia Sheetings, Tykes, and Strong Canvas, imported by last ships.

He likewise manufactures in the most elegant manner, Noblemen and Gentlemens Coats of Arms, Crests, Mottos, Cyphers, or any other Device, which is a security against Linens being abstracted.

N. B. At his Factory, West Port, he sells as formerly Lint and Tow of all kinds, and buys and sells Yarn.

SALE OF JEWELLERY, HARDWARE, &c.

At Very Reduced Prices.

THE STOCK of GOODS belonging to Messr. Peter Forrester, and Company, as advertised formerly, and now purchased by Peter Forrester, continue selling off, at his Shop, opposite the Cross, Edinburgh, and consist chiefly of the following articles:

Gold, Silver, Gilt, Tortoiseshell, and Shagreen Watches.
Set shoe, Knee, and Stock Buckles.
Silver, Pinchbeck, Plated, and Mourning [illegible]
Gold Braclets, Rings, and Locket Pins
Silver and Plated Spoons, Tea-Kitchens, Tea-Pots, Sugar and Cream Basons, Bread Baskets, Castor Frames, Salts, Potter Cups, Ale Tankards, Candlesticks, Fish Knives, Sauce Boats, Wine Funnels, &c. &c.
London made Brown Tea-Kitchens and Coffee Urns.
Japanned Tea-Trays, Bread-Baskets, and Waiters.
Knives and Forks, of all kinds.
Mahogany and Shagreen Cases, for Knives, Forks, and Spoons.
Ladies and Gentlemens Pocket and Memorandum Books.
Silver, Gilt, and Steel mounted Swords and Hangers.
Variety of fine Prints, in Gilt burnished Frames.
Double and Single Barrelled Guns.
Patent Spring Bayonet, Pocket and Holster Pistols.
Ladies and Gentlemens Dressing Boxes.
Plated, Black Ebony, and Japanned Ink Stands.
Backgamon Tables, Playing Cards, and Dice.

A great many of the articles are new and fashionable; and as Peter Forrester will be receiving fresh assortments during the sale of the old stock, the Public will find this a favourable opportunity of supplying themselves.

As P. Forrester is appointed to discharge and settle the debts of the Company, it is requested that all those indebted, will immediately order payment of their accompts, as all those remaining unsettled a few days longer, will be given into the hands of a man of business, in order to effect payment.

The highest prices are given for old Gold, Silver, and Lace, as usual. ☞ Commissions punctually attended to.

To all Gentlemen, Farmers, and Breeders of Cattle.

MR ROBSON, from England, now in Edinburgh, thinks it necessary to inform the Public, that they may have all kinds of the Cattle spayed, such as queys, mares, foals, old ewes, ewe-lambs, kids, old sows, pigs, bitches, young fauns, &c. likewise geids stoned horses, colts, bulls, bares, rams, goats, bucks, &c. also cocks, hens, Turky cocks and hens, &c.

He has been long employed in this country in the above operations, with the greatest success, and hopes for future encouragement, by directing as above, to the care of Mr Henderson, Grass-market, Edinburgh, where letters (post paid, and traveling expence allowed from any distant part in North Britain) shall be duly attended to.

N.B. He likewise doctors all kinds of Cattle.

WANTS A PLACE,

As a Fowler or Game keeper,

A YOUNG MAN, who can be well recommended. He is likewise expert in killing Moles, or other Vermin.——Inquire at the Printing-office.

MAHOGANY, SATTIN WOOD & CEDAR.

[illegible] August 1789,

23 Logs very fine *Honduras Mahogany,*
20 Logs fine variegated *Sattin Wood,*
20 Logs *Carolina Cedar.*

To be seen in Mr Kid's Yard, near the Craig.—Further particulars will be known by applying to Alexander Simson.

Dundee, July 27, 1789.

BASKET WORK.

WM. DAVIDSON, jun. Basketmaker, third shop below the foot of Liberton's Wynd, Cowgate, Edinburgh, begs leave to acquaint his Friends and the Public, That he has a large and good assortment of BASKETS of all kinds, which are sold on reasonable terms. Manufacturers supplied with Baskets, on the shortest notice.

N. B. Commissions from the Country, carefully answered.

July 30. 1789.

GRIEVE AND SUTHERLAND,

SHORE, LEITH.

BEG leave to acquaint the Public, that having purchased the STOCK of GOODS belonging to Mess. Robert Kerr and Company, and entered at Whitsunday last to the shop possessed by that Company, they can now offer for Sale a large and complete assortment of

SHIP CHANDLERY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

TEAS AND FOREIGN SPIRITS.

As the attention of both partners will be entirely devoted to the above branches, their employers may rest assured of being supplied with goods of best quality, and on the most moderate terms.

N. B. The strictest care and punctuality will be observed in executing any orders they may be favoured with from the country, and suitable allowance made to dealers.

☞ An APPRENTICE Wanted.

PRESENT PRICES OF

Gottenburgh, and other Black and Green Teas,

Foreign and British Spirits,

AT JOHN SWANSTON's SHOP,

Bishop's Land, Head of Carruber's Close, Edinburgh.

Bohea Tea, 2 s. 10 d. *per lib.*—Good Congo, 3 s. 2 d.—Ditto, 3 s. 6 d.—Finest ditto, 4 s. & 4 s. 6 d.—Souchong, 5 s.—Finest Gottenburgh ditto, 5 s. 6 d. & 6 s.—Finest Hyson, 8 s.—Fine ditto, 7 s.—Good Green, 6 s.—Good ditto, 5 s. 6 d. & [illegible] Coffee [illegible]—Mace 11 s.—Cloves 12 s. Peppers, 1 s. 4 d. & 1 s. 10 d.—Whole and Ground Rice.—Best Jamaica Rum, 9 s. per gallon.—Ditto 8 s.—Fine ditto, 7 s. 6 d.—Single ditto, 5 s.—Strong Coniac Brandy, 9 s.—Proof ditto, 8 s.—Good ditto, 7 s.—Best British ditto, 4 s. 6 d.—Good ditto, 4 s.—Shrub, 4 s.—Holland Gin, 6 s.—Best Old Malt Whisky, 3 s. 4 d.—Strong Proof ditto, 2 s. 8 d. & 3 s.—Good Whisky, 2 s. 4 d. & 2 s. 6 d.—Strong British and French Vinegar.—Florence Oil.—Soaps, Blues, and Starches, and other Groceries, at the lowest prices.—Whitbread's and Calvert's Porter, in hogsheads and bottles.—A few Indian Napkins.

J. S. Returns his grateful thanks to his friends and customers, and assures them, that none in the trade can offer a better or cheaper assortment of goods to sale.

Sugars at prime cost.—Commissions carefully attended to.

MILLAR,

STAYMAKER—Nicolson's Street—No. 244.

BEGS leave to return his grateful acknowledgments to the Ladies for their past favours, and hopes, by his constant attention to their orders, he shall merit a continuation of it. He has just now received from London Patterns of all the different [illegible] present [illegible] and by his own attention to the method of doing the work when there himself, he has acquired that knowledge in the branch which few or none in this country possess; so that those Ladies who send to London, may have their stays done, in respect of neatness of shape, and not inferiority of work, in the same manner as in London.

N. B. Great coats, riding habits, riding stay corsets, &c. in the neatest manner. He particularly recommends his corsets for Young Ladies, as they are very easy in the wearing, and, owing to the manner of doing them up, last not much inferior to stays.

A VALUABLE MEDICINE.

RESTORATIVE STRENGTHENING BALSAM.

THIS valuable remedy was in the possession of a Lady of distinction upwards of sixty years, which she benevolently distributed, and is well known in this country to have performed the most unexpected cures in various cases of weakness, particularly in lameness, rickets, rheumatisms, and head-achs; it has also been found remarkably useful in relieving bruises, and in healing ulcers of long standing.

Miss Brydie the present and only proprietor of this valuable Balsam, has also had the agreeable satisfaction of dispensing it with equal success as far as her [illegible] could reach, and she now proposes to dispose of her knowledge motives of interest, but in order that the public in general may be benefited by it, and has therefore appointed it to be sold at ESPLIN AND FORBES, Patent Medicine and Paper Warehouse below the Exchange, in pots at 1 s. 6 d. each, who will inform any person of the proprietor, who wishes to give every satisfaction, both of its authenticity and success, and a candid opinion whether relief may be expected from this medicine or not. Directions will be given with each pot, which are plain and simple.

N. B. All the Patent Medicines of reputation, warranted genuine, sold as above.

NOTICE

To the CREDITORS of GRIEVE WILSON,

Merchant in Dunbar.

THE Trustee upon the sequestrated estate of Grieve Wilson has just now got from him a proposal of giving security for a composition to his creditors of 15 s. per pound, in full of their debts.

And, as the trustee is clearly of opinion that it will be for the interest of the creditors to accept of the same, he hereby requests a general meeting of said creditors, at the house of Mrs Fairbairn in Haddington, upon Thursday the 20th of August next, at twelve o'clock, to consider of said proposal, and advise such measures as may be proper for the security of all concerned.

Haddington, JAMES WILKIE, Trustee.

July 20. 1789. Not to be repeated.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE, JULY 25.

WHITEHALL, *July* 25.

THE following Addreſs having been tranſmitted to the Right Honourable William Wyndham Grenville, his Majeſty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has been by him preſented to the King: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commiſſioners from the Royal Boroughs of Scotland, in general Annual Convention aſſembled, embrace that firſt opportunity to approach your Majeſty with ſentiments of ſincere congratulation on your recovery from the ſevere indiſpoſition with which you have been afflicted.

Our joy in the re-eſtabliſhment of your Majeſty's health is a natural effect of that perſonal attachment which your ſubjects feel from their experience of the virtues by which you have adorned the throne of theſe kingdoms.

On this occaſion we reflect with high ſatisfaction and gratitude on the bleſſings we have enjoyed under your Majeſty's reign; the protection of religion and of our liberties; the encouragement of Manufactures and uſeful arts; the extenſion of our commerce, and the rank, which, through your Majeſty's wiſe councils, Great Britain holds among the nations of Europe.

May Heaven grant to your Majeſty long life and health to ſway the ſceptre over a free and happy people; and may ſucceeding generations, under Princes of your illuſtrious line, enjoy ſuch national felicity as we experience under your Majeſty's government.—Theſe are the earneſt wiſhes of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal ſubjects,

The Commiſſioners from the Royal Boroughs of Scotland, in general Annual Convention aſſembled.

Signed in our preſence, and by our appointment, this 16th day of July, 1789, by

THO. ELDER, Preſes.

[Tranſmitted by the Preſident.]

[Beſides the above, this Gazette contains congratulatory Addreſſes to his Majeſty from the Cuſtos, Magiſtrates, Merchants, and other Inhabitants of the town of Kingſton in Jamaica—the Council of Jamaica—the Council and Aſſembly of the Iſland of Montſerrat—the Council and Aſſembly of the Iſland of Grenada, and the Grenadines—the Provincial Synod of Glenelg: And one to the Queen from the Royal Boroughs of Scotland.]

STOCKHOLM, *June* 30.

Intelligence has been received here that, on the 18th inſtant, a Ruſſian corps, under the command of General Mitchelſon, attacked the Swediſh troops at St Michel, commanded by Colonel Steding.—The action began at mid-night, in which the Swedes kept their ground, and fought very bravely for ſeveral hours; but Colonel Steding, perceiving that the enemy muſt at length ſucceed in turning his front, and attacking him in the flank, thought it prudent, in order to ſave his men and artillery, to evacuate St Michel, and retreat to Jockas; which he effected with a very trifling loſs, having ſaved all his baggage and ſtores, except the powder magazine, which he blew up, to prevent its falling into the hands of the enemy. In conſequence of this retreat, the Ruſſians have entered into Sawolax. On the other hand, the King, at the head of a corps of about 5000 men, with fifty pieces of cannon, has paſſed the River Kymene, and made an irruption, near Keltys, into Ruſſian Finland.

STOCKHOLM, *July* 3.

A Courier, who arrived yeſterday morning with letters from the King to the Queen, the Prince Royal and Baron Armfelt, brought the firſt news of an action between the troops under his Majeſty's command and a corps of Ruſſs or Daviditadt. His Majeſty mentions no particulars in his letters, only that he had defeated the enemy, without receiving any hurt himſelf: But the Courier reports that the King, with only 2,000 of his troops, which compoſed the Van Guard, without waiting for the reſt of his army, advanced to charge the enemy, who amounted to about 5,600 men: That the Ruſſians ſtood the fire of the Swedes, with great intrepidity, for a conſiderable time, and in their turn attacked the Swedes with bayoners fixed, which occaſioned the latter to retreat about twenty paces; but that being inſtantly rallied by his Majeſty, who alighted from his horſe, and encouraged them in perſon, they returned to the charge, and put the enemy to flight: That the Ruſſians in their retreat having paſſed a defile, the Swedes in the purſuit diſcovered another body of the enemy, drawn up in a line, at the oppoſite extremity; which ſituation not permitting an attack with any proſpect of ſucceſs, the Swedes deſiſted; but that, making a circular march through a wood, they [illegible] the Ruſſians in flank, and entirely routed them. The loſs on the ſide of the Swedes is reported to be three officers and about 150 men killed, and three officers and nearly 100 men wounded. The loſs of the enemy cannot be aſcertained, as they carried off their dead.

PARIS, *July* 20.

Every thing is now quiet in this capital. The militia perform the duty of the Police ſo effectually as to prevent every ſpecies of robbery and pillage. The troops are moving away as faſt as poſſible, and there are no ſoldiers in the neighbourhood of Paris, except the French and Swiſs regiments. The Duc de Chatelet has reſigned the command of the French Guards. The King has reſtored M. de Montmorin to the department of Foreign Affairs, from which he had been removed, and has appointed M. de St Prieſt Secretary of State for the Home Department, in the room of M. de Villedeuil. The Duc de Liancourt is choſen Preſident of the National Aſſembly, in the room of the Archbiſhop of Vienne, whoſe time was expired. M. Necker is not yet arrived.

WHITEHALL, *July* 25. 1789.

3d (or the King's own) Regiment of Dragoons, John Gilpin Sawrey, Gent. is appointed to be Cornet by purchaſe, vice Saville H. Lumley, promoted.

16th (or the Queen's) Regiment of Light Dragoons, Adjutant Charles Stone to be Cornet, vice William Henry Pennyman, who reſigns.

3d Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain Lord Charles Fitzroy, from the 45th regiment of foot, to be Captain of a Company by purchaſe, vice Lieutenant-Colonel John Lord Kirkcudbright, who retires. John Campbell, Gent. to be Enſign by purchaſe, vice Francis Lord Conyngham, promoted in the 8th regiment of light dragoons.

2d (or Queen's Royal) Regiment of Foot, Enſign Bryan Philpot to be Lieutenant by purchaſe, vice William Elliott, who retires. Charles Stewart, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Bryan Philpot.

5th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Benjamin Roche, from the 19th regiment of foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Joſhua P. Minchin, who exchanges.

18th (or the Royal Iriſh) Regiment of Foot, Surgeon's Mate William Gillilkan to be Surgeon, vice John Gloſter, deceaſed.

22d Regiment of Foot, Enſign Effingham Lindſay, from the 54th foot, to be Enſign, vice Joſeph Fell, who exchanges.

36th Regiment of Foot, Enſign John Eyre to be Lieutenant by purchaſe, vice James Knott, who retires. James Kirk, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Eyre.

44th Regiment of Foot, Captain Charles Semple from the half-pay of the late 89th regiment, to be Captain of a Company, vice Nicholas H. Nicholas, who exchanges.

54th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Joſeph Fell of the ſaid regiment, to be Enſign, vice Effingham Lindſay, who exchanges.

Quarter-Maſter —— Hardy, to be Cornet in the Army, by Brevet.

Commiſſions ſigned by his Majeſty for the Army in Ireland.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain Hercules Langford Taylor, from 51ſt foot, to be Major, vice Dillon, promoted. Dated June 30. 1788.

Commiſſions dated May 23. 1789.

14th Regiment of Dragoons, Lieutenant Patrick Miller, from 12th light dragoons, to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Compton, promoted.

58th Regiment of Foot, Major William Brereton, from 64th foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Horſefall, reſigned.

64th Regiment of Foot, Captain-Lieutenant Robert Compton, from 14th Dragoons, to be Major, vice Brereton, promoted.

Commiſſions dated June 16.

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel Nugent, from 13th foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Gwynne, promoted.

7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Major John Dillon, from 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Staples, reſigned.

13th Regiment of Foot, Major John Francis Cradock to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Nugent, promoted.

STAFF.

Commiſſioni dated June 23.

Colonel David Dundas to be Adjutant-General, vice Fawcett, exchanged.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Fawcett to be Quarter-maſter General, vice Dundas.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF LORDS.

FRIDAY, *July* 24.

TOBACCO DUTY BILL.

The order of the day being read for the further conſideration of the tobacco regulating duty bill, Counſel againſt it were called to the bar, and Mr Douglas proceeded to the further examination of Mr Poſtlethwaite; which being cloſed,

At ſeven o'clock their Lordſhips adjourned until Monday, when the examination of the witneſſes will be proceeded with.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

THURSDAY, *July* 23.

The conſolidated fund bill, the corn regulation bill, and the American Commiſſioners bill, were reported, and ordered to be engroſſed.

The report of the goal regulating bill was, upon motion, put off till to-morrow.

FRIDAY, *July* 24.

Received from the Lords a naturalization bill, which was, on motion, read a firſt time.

Received a report from the Commiſſioners of land revenues, and a plan of New Foreſt. Ordered to be printed.

Read a third time and paſſed, the conſolidated fund bill.

Read a third time and paſſed, the corn regulating bill.

ADDRESSES.

An addreſs was ordered to be preſented to his Majeſty, praying him to be graciouſly pleaſed to confer ſome church dignity on the Rev. Charles Moſs, chaplain to the Houſe of Commons.

An addreſs was alſo ordered to be preſented to his Majeſty, that he would be pleaſed to order ſuch a ſufficient ſum of money to be iſſued, as might be found neceſſary to defray the expences of printing [illegible]

An addreſs was alſo ordered to be preſented to his Majeſty, that he would be graciouſly pleaſed to order the Journals of that Houſe to be printed; and alſo that he would be pleaſed to order to be iſſued to John Hatſell, Eſq; the Clerk of that Houſe, the ſum of 1200 l. to defray the expences of printing the ſame.

AMERICAN LOYALISTS.

The American Loyaliſts bill being read a third time,

Mr *Dempſter* roſe to propoſe a clauſe by way of rider, to include in the bill the ſufferers by the loſs of their goods in the ſhips the Martha, and the Sir James Erſkine, from London to New York.

The clauſe was rejected without a diviſion, and the bill paſſed.

DEFECTS IN TREES CURED.

Mr Roſe preſented to the Houſe a repreſentation from the Commiſſioners of Land Revenues, of a diſcovery made by Mr Forſythe to remedy all defects in trees, of whatever age or [illegible] or in the timber.

Mr *Roſe* ſtated to the Houſe the importance of the diſcovery; the mode practiſed by Mr Forſythe, he ſaid, would preſerve a tree, even if decayed to the heart. At preſent, it was not his intention to move for a reward: he wiſhed enquiry to go firſt, and reward to follow. He concluded by moving, "That an humble addreſs be preſented to his Majeſty, praying him to be graciouſly pleaſed to order ſuch enquiries to be made as might be found neceſſary; and if the remedy was effectual, to grant ſuch reward to the diſcoverer as his Majeſty might think proper, which ſum the Houſe would make good to his Majeſty."

The addreſs was agreed to, and ſuch Members as were of his Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy Council were ordered to preſent the ſame.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Sir *John Miller* ſtated to the Houſe, that notwithſtanding the utmoſt exertions on his part, he had been unable to bring forward the buſineſs he had promiſed of an equalization of weights and meaſures.—He had however been making every poſſible enquiry, and by that enquiry he was more and more convinced of the great utility and benefit it would be of to the country in general, and the poor in particular. He had received encouragement from many, and had been promiſed by 57 communities in this country, who ſent each two Members to Parliament, that they would give their Repreſentatives inſtructions to ſupport him. He concluded by giving notice, that he would early next ſeſſion move for the appointment of a Committee to conſider of an equalization of weights and meaſures throughout the country.

GAOL BILL.

The report of the bill for the relief of debtors was brought up.

Sir *James Johnſtone* expreſſed his regret, that in bills brought in for the relief of the ſubject, ſo little attention was paid to the intereſt of the inhabitants of Scotland.—Riches and crimes, ſaid he, which always accompany each other, had for ſome time paſt been flowing into that country. The neceſſity of reforming the priſons there became more and more urgent; and if no other Member would undertake the taſk, he pledged himſelf to bring forward the buſineſs early in the next ſeſſion.

LONDON—JULY 27.

The Marquis of Graham will be appointed one of the Joint Poſtmaſters of the Army, in the room of the Honourable W. W. Grenville, now one of the Secretaries of State.

Lord Viſcount Bayham and Lord Apſley, will be appointed Commiſſioners of the Treaſury in the room of the Marquis of Graham, and Sir John Aubrey.

The Honourable Mr Ryder, and the Honourable Mr Townſhend, ſon of Lord Viſcount Sydney, will be appointed Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, in the room of Lord Bayham, and Lord Apſley.

It is not yet ſettled who is to ſupply the other vacancy at the Admiralty.

Writs will be moved for, before Parliament is prorogued.

Their High Mightineſſes, the States General of the United Provinces, have reſolved, that a gold chain and medal of the value of 6,000 florins of Holland, be preſented to Lord Malmeſbury, as a token of their approbation and friendſhip; and that another, valde 600 florins, be preſented to his ſecretary.

Lord Mansfield has not enjoyed the uſe of his hands for near two years paſt—in other reſpects he is as well as moſt men of his age.

The Miniſter of Denmark has formally notified to the Engliſh, Pruſſian, and Dutch Miniſters at Copenhagen, that his Maſter will obſerve the ſtricteſt neutrality, on condition that England, Pruſſia, and Holland, exert their beſt endeavours to mediate a peace between Ruſſia and Sweden.

The Marquis de Breze, Grand Maſter of the Ceremonies, entering the Aſſembly the other day as uſual with his hat on with a meſſage from the King, they would not hear him till he pulled it off, and made a reverence to the Nation!

The National Aſſembly for during the late Revolution 69 hours without breaking up, viz. from Monday at nine o'clock till Wedneſday night at ten.

The dark clouds of famine and diſtreſs, which at preſent obſcure the atmoſphere of France, are likely to be ſoon diſſipated by the arrival of above 100 veſſels from Boſton, Philadelphia, Salem, Providence, and Charleſtown, deeply laden with wheat, flour, and a large quantity of rice. This proviſion was engaged laſt April by Mr Gerard, the French Envoy to the American States, but could not be ſhipped till a ſufficient number of veſſels were procured at the different ports; they are now on their paſſage, and expected at Nantz, Bourdeaux, Rochelle, and Havre-de-Grace, about the latter end of the preſent month.

The price of corn has rather fallen in France. Two veſſels laden with new wheat of this year are arrived near Paris, and the communication of the river Loire is now open. The ſamples are extremely fine, and the harveſt yet promiſes to be productive, notwithſtanding the heavy rains.

On the 16th of May laſt four line of battle ſhips, and one frigate, were launched at Sollenboll, near Archangel, in the ſpace of 48 hours.

Friday, the Directors of the Eaſt India Company came to a reſolution, to take up the following ſhips for the enſuing ſeaſon; but their voyages are not yet fixed.

A new ſhip, in the room of the Sandwich.			
Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Calcutta.
Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Naſſau.
Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Royal Charlotte.
Admiral Sir Edward Hughes, the Company's own ſhip.			
Worceſter		Foulis	
Royal Admiral		Woodcot	
Marquis of Lanſdowne		Lord Walſingham	
Henry Dundas		Hillſborough	
Earl Fitzwilliam		William Pitt	
Hawke		Barwell	
Rodney		Earl Talbot	
Princeſs Royal		Minerva	
Queen		Bellona	
		Triton	
Princeſs Amelia		Prince William Henry	
Belvidere		Ceres	
Warren Haſtings		And five af the Botany	
Oſterley		Bay ſhips.	

Total thirty-ſix ſail.

PRICES OF STOCKS, JULY 27.

Bank Stock, 182½ a ¾.	Ditto Ann. —
3 per cent. red. 77⅞ a 78⅛.	Ditto Bonds, 90 prem.
Ditto con. 77¼ a ½.	South Sea Stock, —
Ditto 1726, —	Ditto Old Ann. —
4 per cent. con. 98½ a ¾ a ⅞.	New ditto, —
5 per cent. 115¼ a ⅜.	3 per cent. 1751, —
Bank Long. Ann. 22 15-16ths a 23.	New Navy, and Victualling Bills, —
Short 1777, —	Lottery Tickets, 15 l. 17 s.
Ditto 1778, 1779, —	Exchequer bills, 33 s. prem.
India Stock, —	Tontine, 105.

WIND AT DEAL, JULY 26. W. & W.

BANKRUPT.

John [illegible] of the Poultry, London, merchant.—Thomas Criſp and William Criſp, of the pariſh of St Philip and Jacob, in the county of Glouceſter, maltſters and brewers, copartners.—Archibald Horriott, late of Margaret-ſtreet, in the pariſh of St Mary-le-bone, in the county of Middleſex, coach-maker.—Thomas Whelde Campbell, of New-ſquare, Minories, in the city of London, inſurance-broker.—Alexander Purvis Cranſtoun of Cavendiſh-ſtreet, Oxford-ſtreet, in the county of Middleſex, apothecary.—Arthur Burrow of Warrington, in the county of Lancaſter, linen-draper.

EDINBURGH.

Married the 28th inſt. at Newbigging, Fife, William Henry Charteris, Eſq; to Miſs Boog, daughter of Lieutenant David Boog, Royal Navy.

Wedneſday laſt was married at Glaſgow, the Rev. Mr John Henderſon, miniſter of the goſpel at Monkwearmouth, in the county of Durham, to Miſs Mary Haly, daughter of the late Rev. Mr John Haly, miniſter of the goſpel at Clackmannan.

On Monday laſt died, at the manſe of Carluke, Mrs Watſon, daughter of the Rev. Mr James Scott, miniſter of Carluke, and wife to Mr James Watſon, merchant in Glaſgow.

Died at Kilbarchan upon Saturday, Robert Semple, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for Renfrew, aged 106.

Monday laſt, died at Aberdeen, after a ſhort illneſs, Mr Alexander Milne, many years manager for the Gilcomſton Brewery Company there.

On the 13th inſt. died, in the 75th year of his age, Mr Daniel Cargill, merchant, and late one of the Bailies of Aberdeen.

On the 11th inſtant, died, at his houſe at Knockhill, James Leſlie Johnſtone, Eſq; aged 91.

Monday, paſſed through Dumfries, on the way from London, the remains of the late Miſs Hannay, daughter of Sir Samuel Hannay of Mochrum, Bart. M. P. to be interred in the family burying vault, at the old church of Kirkdale.

Our paragraph, copied from another paper, relative to the death of Mrs Jordan's mother, was erroneous as to name. Her name was *Bland*, relict of Francis Bland, Eſq; a gentleman poſſeſſed of a good eſtate in the kingdom of Ireland, and brother to Mrs Sinclair of Freſwick.

Sir James Campbell, who lately vacated his ſeat for the burghs of Dunfermline, &c is appointed Collector of the Cuſtoms at Port Glaſgow, in room of Mr Burrows, appointed one of the Surveyors of the port of London.

Laſt night arrived in town from France, the Right Hon. Lord Daire.

Yeſterday George Keith Mariſchal, Eſq; gave Ten Guineas to Mr Richard Richardſon, Treaſurer to the Charity Work-houſe of this City, for behoof of the numerous poor on that uſeful eſtabliſhment.

Tueſday, the High Court of Juſticiary met and pronounced ſentence againſt Peter Matheſon and Malcolm M'Gregor, found guilty by verdict of the Jury on Monday, as mentioned in our laſt, adjudging them to be tranſported beyond ſeas to wherever his Majeſty, with the advice of his Privy Council, ſhall appoint, for the ſpace of fourteen years; with certification, that if they are found within Great Britain during that period, they ſhall ſuffer death, without benefit of Clergy, agreeable to the law of England.

Their Lordſhips, in delivering their opinions, expatiated on the very great enormity of a confidential ſervant, ſuch as Matheſon was, robbing his maſter, whoſe property, on the contrary, it was his duty to protect from the rapacity of others. In the preſent inſtance, however, they were inclined to think, from the youth of the pannel, that he had been led aſtray by bad advice, and highly commended the humanity of the Lord Advocate in reſtricting the libel to an arbitrary puniſhment; becauſe, had it not been ſo reſtricted, their Lordſhips would have been under the neceſſity of pronouncing ſentence of death againſt the pannel. This would not have been the caſe with reſpect to M'Gregor; for, as the law of this country preſently ſtood, the receiver of ſtolen goods was not liable to a capital puniſhment. They, however, were willing to adopt the vulgar adage, that in many caſes the reſet was worſe than the thief. In this caſe, he certainly was ſo; becauſe they could not entertain a doubt, that M'Gregor was inſtrumental in adviſing and encouraging the boy to commit the various depredations, mentioned in the indictment, upon his maſter's property; and therefore, though the ſame puniſhment could not have been inflicted upon him as on the other, had the libel not been reſtricted; yet, as he had been the greateſt aggreſſor of the two, he deſerved a ſeverer chaſtiſement, which, by ſentencing him to tranſportation for the ſame number of years, he would receive, as being ſo much farther advanced in life than the boy.

The Lord Juſtice Clerk, after ſentence was pronounced, addreſſed the priſoners in a pathetic ſpeech, in which he admoniſhed them very ſeriouſly to an amendment of life; in which caſe, they might ſtill have an opportunity of becoming uſeful members of ſociety; and, after the expiration of the term to which they are tranſported, of again returning to their native country.

Yeſterday, the Preſbytery of Edinburgh met here, when Mr Hugh Buchan, Chamberlain of the City, repreſented to them, that owing to the painting of the Tron Church, the neceſſary reparations to be made within the Church, &c. it would be impoſſible that divine ſervice could be performed in it, agreeable to the appointment of laſt Preſbytery, on Sunday next; and therefore craving they would fall upon ſome expedient to get the better of their former appointment. This requiſition occaſioned a debate of conſiderable length. Several members were of opinion, that as the ſentence of the Preſbytery, tranſlating Mr Simpſon to the Tron Church, was neither objected to, nor appealed from, it could not now be altered; but that Mr Simpſon's tranſlation muſt take place on Sunday, whether the Church was in a ſituation to receive him or not; and that, to make the Preſbytery's ſentence effectual, he might preach in any hall or houſe within the pariſh. Others entertained different ſentiments, and contended, that as the ſentence was not yet completed by Mr Simpſon's preaching in the Tron Church, the conſideration of this matter ſhould be delayed till next Preſbytery day, when Mr Simpſon would be able to aſſign a reaſon why he had not preached in the Tron Church, agreeable to the appointment of laſt Preſbytery. Want of room prevents us from entering into ſo full a detail of this matter as we otherwiſe ſhould have done. Suffice it to ſay, that at an adjourned meeting in the evening, Mr Simpſon having previouſly agreed to continue to officiate in Lady Yeſter's Church till the Tron Church ſhould be fit to receive the congregation, the Preſbytery unanimouſly authoriſed Mr Simpſon to perform his clerical offices in Lady Yeſter's pariſh till the Tron Church ſhould be in a ſituation to be opened for divine ſervice, and that, when that event took place, Mr Simpſon ſhould enter upon his charge in that pariſh.

Dr Hardy, one of the Commiſſioners appointed by laſt Preſbytery, for proſecuting the [illegible] Thomas Sharp, from Hawick, to the pariſh of Corſtorphin, reported, That the Preſbytery of Jedburgh had delayed entering upon that buſineſs, till Tueſday the 22d of September next.

EDINBURGH RACES.

Tueſday, his Majeſty's Purſe of One Hundred Guineas, was run for over the Sands of Leith, and won by

Sir Henry George Liddel's bay colt Tomtring,	3 1 1
Sir Hedworth Williamſon's brown colt Highflyer,	1 2 2
Mr Hamilton of Wiſhaw's black horſe Falſtaff,	2 3 3
Mr Sumpſter of Netherby's brown colt Netherby,	diſt.

This race afforded excellent ſport, and a great deal of money was loſt and won.

Yeſterday, was run for, over the ſame courſe, the Noblemen and Gentlemens Subſcription Purſe of Fifty Guineas, and won by

Mr Hamilton of Wiſhaw's bay horſe Newbyth,	1
Mr Joſeph Gibſon's brown gelding Millfield,	diſt.
Mr James Thomſon of Larkhall's bay horſe Poor-cottager,	diſt.
His Grace the Duke of Hamilton's bay horſe Paragon,	dr.
Mr Paterſon's bay mare Nelly,	dr.

Newbyth, of conſequence, walked the courſe, ſo that little ſport was afforded.

This day was run for over the ſame courſe, the Noblemen and Gentlemen's ſubſcription purſe of Fifty Guineas, which was won by

The Duke of Hamilton's brown horſe, Goldfinder,

We are informed, that the Magiſtrates and Sheriff have it in agitation to eſtabliſh a regular weekly market for wheat and other grain in this city, on the ſame mode with that now followed at Mark-lane, London, by which, beſides the benefit that will naturally ariſe both to the ſeller and buyer, a more exact method of aſcertaining the prices for regulating the aſſize of bread will be obtained than by the former practice of examining dealers on the ſubject, from whom it was often difficult, without the greateſt trouble and expence, to obtain either the exact price or quantity brought to market.

There perhaps never was a finer crop of potatoes in Scotland and England, than there is at present on the ground, which affords a comfortable prospect for the poor next winter.

There was raised by Mr Black, gardener to Mr Graham of Gartmore, at Gartmore, a melon of the best quality, weighing 12¼ lb. Dutch weight, among the largest ever raised in Britain. It was cut on the 22d current.

The following donations have lately been received by the Treasurer of the Dumfries and Galloway Infirmary:—Ten Pounds, from John Macdowal, Esq; and Three Guineas from the Reverend Dr Andrew Hunter of Barjarg.

The Ceres, Captain M'Intosh, from London to Leith, is arrived at Leith, after a fine passage of four days.

Upon Wednesday last a melancholy circumstance happened at Newmilns, Ayrshire: One Margaret Merry rose from her husband in the night time, took with her a razor, and cut her throat in a field in the vicinity of the town.—It is supposed, that this precipitate and rash action was owing to the death of a child a few days before, as from that time she was observed to be melancholy, and under depressure of spirits. This is the more alarming, as she was a woman of an irreproachable character formerly.

Extract of a letter from Banff, July 20.

"During the course of last week, almost every day, we had thunder and lightning, attended with heavy showers; but yesterday (Sunday) about noon, it was awfully tremendous. The flashes were very bright, and the thunder louder than the oldest inhabitant ever remembers to have heard. A young woman, at the washing-green belonging to the town, was, during the time she was filling a tea-kettle, struck to the ground by the lightning, which made a hole in the side of it sufficient to admit the ball of a pistol. The run metal was within the kettle.——The lightning, after removing from its place a very large stone, took a crooked direction for about ten yards, from the place where the woman was standing, leaving two furrows on the grass, withered as if two red hot bullets had been rolling on it. The woman was a little bruised by the fall, but it is thought will recover.—About same time, the lightning struck against a house at Boyndie, threw down the chimney, pierced the ceiling, and wounded a young girl in the house. On the 18th, (Saturday), the rain was so great, that it entirely carried away a new bridge lately built on the burn of Melross, near this place, and we hear that several houses in Gardenston have suffered greatly."

Extract of a letter from Gardenstown, July 22.

"On Saturday the 18th current, came on here, about three o' clock in the morning, one of the greatest falls of rain, mixed with hail, ever seen by the oldest people here. It lasted with little interval till eight, and, the situation of this place, being at the foot of steep hills and rocks, made it still more dangerous. The lower part of many houses were filled with water; three houses are almost in ruins, and many more have suffered; and property to a considerable amount has been damaged and lost. What made the scene more dreadful, large pieces of earth came down from the tops of the hills almost above the houses. No lives are lost, but four or five persons were bruised. It had the same effect at a fishing town about a mile to the eastward of this place; and, from what we can learn, the violence of the rain extended about three miles to the eastward, and the like distance to the westward, but not above one mile to the southward of this town."

Extract of a letter from Strichen, July 18.

"There was never perhaps a more memorable inundation, in this part of the country, than that which happened here this day. In the morning, an impetuous torrent was observed to descend from the hill of Mormond; which, having acquired great velocity by devolving from the hill, precipitated itself, on the south side, into two small rivulets, which terminate in the water Ugie. It is supposed, that a thunder cloud had fallen upon Mormond, in a manner resembling a water-spout at sea. The channels of the two rivulets are enlarged to a surprising extent, and, in some places, they have dug for themselves new channels, which they have kept since.—One of them swelled to such an incredible size, as to carry down from an adjacent moss several tects of peats; the other brought down also from Mormond pieces of moss of uncommon magnitude, and, by scattering them upon the fields, destroyed great quantities of corn, and rendered the ground to all appearance useless. Similar effects were produced by the torrent which descended on the north side of the hill. All the bridges on the rivulets are thrown down; the moss upon Mormond, from whence the torrent seemed to proceed, exhibits the most surprising appearance of any yet mentioned; there is one large lump of moss, lying upon the top of a bank, which has been thrown thirty feet up a steep place of the hill; a large bank, eight feet deep, and upwards of 100 feet long, is entirely cut down, and there are several long chasms of the same depth. In short, the appearance of this moss so baffles description, that it is not unreasonable to suppose, the earth must have undergone some internal concussion on this occasion. This is rendered more probable, when it is mentioned, that, for some days before, and during the time of this inundation, there were several thunder storms; and volcanoes, earthquakes, &c. are now well known to be electrical phœnomena. Most of the fishes in the Ugie were killed, the water having been quite thick with moss. Much rain has fallen all along the coast."

Thermometer and Barometer since our last:

				Therm.	Bar.
Monday,	*July* 27.	8	P. M.	56	29.69
Tuesday,	28.	8	A. M.	59	29.74
		8	P. M.	60	29.74
Wednesday,	29.	8	A. M.	59	29.64
		8	P. M.	59	29.64
Thursday,	30.	8	A. M.	59	29.64

PRICES of MEAL—EDINBURGH MARKET, JULY 30.

QUANTITIES.

Lothian, 198 Bolls—South Country, 200 Ditto.

Lothian per Boll.		*S. Country per Boll.*		*Prices per Peck.*	
First,	13 9	First,	11 9	First,	0 10½
Second,	13 6	Second,	12 6	Second,	0 10
Third,	13 3	Third,	12 3		

HIGH WATER AT LEITH.

		MOON'S AGE.	MORNING. H. M.	EVENING. H. M.
Thursday,	—— 30.	8	8 49	9 16
Friday,	—— 31.	9	9 43	10, 10
Saturday,	Aug. 1.	10	10 37	11 4

AMPHITHEATRE.

THE Lord Provost of Edinburgh, Major Sandys, Mr Mansfield, Mr Miller, & Mr Grahame, the Committee appointed at last Meeting for conducting the business of the Amphitheatre and Riding School, request all the Subscribers to meet in the Turf Coffeehouse, upon Friday the 31st July instant, at twelve o'clock mid-day, as they are then to lay before them the steps they have already taken, and consult the Meeting as to their further proceedings.

It is the earnest wish of the Committee, that every Subscriber attend, that the business may be carried on so as to meet with general approbation.

LOST,

On the Sands of Leith, the 28th inst.

A *SILVER WATCH.* M. Ranson, London, 6283.—Whoever will bring it to Mr Reid, watchmaker, Parliament Close, shall have a considerable reward.

ROYAL BANK, EDINBURGH,

30th JULY 1789.

THE Court of Directors of the Royal Bank of Scotland, give notice, That a General Court of Proprietors will will be held at their Office in Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 1st September next, at twelve o'clock mid-day, pursuant to the charter.

ARCH. HOPE Sec.

ACADEMY, ROSE STREET,

27th JULY 1789.

THIS day there was an Examination of the Latin School kept by Mr William Laing, in Rose Street, New Edinburgh, in presence of several Gentlemen of distinction. The boys appeared to have made remarkable proficiency in the Latin Language, during the very short time they have been under Mr Laing's care, and all the Gentlemen declared themselves highly satisfied with his manner of teaching.

The Academy will meet after the vacation on first September, when Mr Laing proposes beginning a Latin Class in the Rudiments.

Classes for French, Writing, Arithmetic, and Geography, as usual.

WHEAT TO BE SOLD.

At Belleville, St Ann's Yards.

A FIELD of excellent WHEAT, containing ten English acres. Any person willing to purchase, by calling at the house, will be shown it, and they may there treat with the proprietor.

MEETING OF HERITORS.

THE Heritors and Kirk-session of South Leith are desired to meet in the Kirk of South Leith, on Tuesday next, the 4th August, at twelve o'clock noon, anent their Poor.

IRISH STATE LOTTERY,

ANNO 1789,

Begins drawing the 12th of November.

THE ORIGINAL TICKETS are sold and divided into Halves, Quarters, Eighths, and Sixteenths, in variety of numbers, by

JAMES THOMSON AND SON,

INSURANCE BROKERS,

At their State Lottery Office, No. 8, South Bridge-street, Edinburgh,

Being the only Licensed Dealers in Scotland on their own account,

Where all business respecting the lottery is transacted with correctness and fidelity.

Correct numerical and register books are kept, and the earliest intelligence sent of their success.

SCHEME.

No. of Prizes.		*Value of each.*		*Total Value.*
2	of	L.20,000	is	L.40,000
2	—	10,000	—	20,000
2	—	5,000	—	10,000
3	—	2,000	—	6,000
5	—	1000	—	5,000
10	—	500	—	5,000
30	—	100	—	3,000
100	—	20	—	2,000
10,600	—	10	—	106,000
10,754	Prizes			L. 197,000
	First drawn Ticket,			500
	First drawn, 4th day,	—	—	500
	First drawn, 10th day,	—	—	500
	First drawn, 16th day,	—	—	500
	First drawn, 22d day,	—	—	500
	Last drawn Ticket,			500
29,246	Blanks,			
40,000	Tickets.	—	—	L. 200,000

Tickets and shares registered at 6d. each number.

As they rise or fall at the London offices, so will they at this.

The prizes are payable (Irish currency) in June 1790.

All shares sold at this office are stamped, and the original tickets lodged in the Stamp Office, agreeable to act of Parliament. Money for the prizes at current value will be paid at this office as soon as drawn. Letters post paid duly answered—schemes gratis—commissions from the country, with bills at sight or a short date, punctually attended to.

☞ In last Irish Lottery, No. 24,941, a prize of *One Thousand Pounds*, was sold at this office, divided into one half, one fourth, one eighth, and two sixteenth shares, besides a very considerable number of smaller prizes.

Insurances upon SHIPS, GOODS, and LIVES, done at this office upon the most reasonable terms.

GAME.

THE Right Hon. Lord Dunsinnan,
Sir George Ramsay, Bart. of Banff,
James Farquharson, Esq. of Invercauld,
A. Muir Mackenzie, Esq. of Delvin,
Thomas Elder, Esq. of Fornith,
Col. Allan Macpherson of Blairgowrie,
John Campbell, Esq. of Achallader,
William Macdonald, Esq. of St Martins,
David Kinloch, Esq. of Gourdy,
James Ogilvy, Esq. of Illabank,
Mungo Murray, Esq. of Kincairny,
John Smyth, Esq. of Balharry,
George Knight, Esq. of Jordanstone,
John Haggart, Esq. of Cairnmuir,
Edmund Ferguffen, Esq. of Baledmond,
Thomas Whitson, Esq. of Parkhill,
George Kinloch, Esq. of Kinloch,

OBserving, that, for some seasons past, sundry persons have taken out Licenses for killing Game, without having any qualification or property of their own, entitling them so to do, have resolved to prosecute all such persons or poachers, of every kind, that shall be found hunting or shooting on any of their lands and estates, without a subscribed warrant from the proprietor of the grounds on which they shoot; and for that purpose offer a reward of *Two Guineas* for information against any offender, such as will lead to conviction, and the informers names, if desired, shall be concealed. The information to be given to Mr Patrick Duncan, writer in Perth, to whom any Gentleman wishing to join this association, may signify his intentions.

AT LONDON—FOR LEITH,

THE DILIGENCE,

James Butler Master,

Now lying on the birth at Hawley's Wharf, and will sail on the seventh of August.

Good accommodation for passengers.

AT LEITH FOR LONDON,

THE ELIZA,

JOHN SAMSON Master,

Now lying on the birth in Leith harbour, taking in goods, and will sail 10th August.

N. B. The ship has good accommodation for passengers.

The Master to be spoke with at the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, or at his house, Sheriff Brae, Leith.

AT LEITH—FOR SHETLAND,

The Elizabeth of Leith,

CORNELIUS NEILSON Master,

Now lying on the Birth in Leith Harbour, taking in goods, and will sail the 12th August.

For freight or passage, apply to the master on board, or Robert Strong and Son, Bridge, Leith who have just now come to hand a considerable quantity of LING, COD, and TUSK FISH, of the best qualities, and where also may be had, Shetland Butter for sheep smearing, in barrels, half-barrels, and ankers;—Archangel Tar, and a few casks of red Herrings. Commissions from the country duly attended to.

TO THE PUBLIC.

SEveral persons of rank and distinction having been informed that a subscription has lately been opened at Norwich, Cambridge, Oxford, and other places, for the humane purpose of raising a sum of money to be vested in the funds for the support of *COUNT BORUWLASKI*, and his Family, when the public curiosity can no longer benefit them, have generously resolved to show the same concern for that unfortunate Gentleman.

Names of the Subscribers.			
Sir William Forbes,	L.	5	5 0
Lord Dumfries,		5	5 0
Lady Dumfries,		5	5 0
Earl of Cassillis,		3	3 0
Countess Loundoun,		3	3 0
Lady Elisabeth Chrichton,		3	3 0
R. Craufurd,		2	2 0
R. Hadinton,		3	3 0
Lady Glasgow,		2	2 0
Mrs Ferguson,		5	5 0
J. Ferguson,		5	5 0
Mr Meason,		5	5 0
Lord Elliock,		3	3 0
Mr Oswald,		2	2 0
Mr M'Cormick,		1	1 0
Sir John Whiteford,		2	2 0

Books are open, and subscriptions continue to be received, at the Count's Lodgings, No. 4. St Andrew's Street.

CORNS EXTRACTED,

ARTIFICIAL TEETH, &c.

MR H. LION, Aitken's Land, 2d stair above the Canongate Tolbooth, 3d door up stairs, opposite the Sugarhouse, respectfully offers his assistance to the Nobility, Gentry, and the Public in general, and most humbly acquaints them that he extracts CORNS, whether hard, soft, blood, or black, without causing the least pain. His manner of effecting this wonderful operation is accomplished in ten minutes, and his patients are permitted instantly to follow their respective vocations, without any danger—Also NAILS far grown into the quick extracted without giving the least pain. His remedies in the above cases have met the approbation of the Faculty in general, particularly in Great Britain, where he has practised with success. He draws TEETH, and cleans the the Teeth and Gums, without pain, rendering those which are discoloured perfectly white, and makes the flesh grow close to the enamel of the teeth. He has invented a safe method of fitting ARTIFICIAL TEETH, fet in so firm as to eat with them, and so exact as not to be distinguished from natural. Mr Lion will wait on Ladies and Gentlemen at their own lodgings, if desired.

ROUP OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.

To be SOLD by public auction, upon Friday the 7th day of August 1789, in the Manse of Libberton, two miles south from Edinburgh,

THE whole HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. which belonged to the late Rev. Mr Thomas Whyte, consisting of mounted beds, down and feather beds, blankets, carpets, grates, mirrors, desks, and drawers, tables, chairs, bed and table linens; and Kitchen Furniture.

Same time will be sold a Cart and Harness, a Dung-hill, and some Garden Utensils. Sale to begin each day at ten o'clock forenoon.

DALGLIESH and FORREST, auctioneers.

WHEREAS his Majesty was, in the year 1776, graciously pleased to grant unto WILLIAM ROSE, for the term of his natural life, and, after his decease, to JAMES ROSE, his son, for his life, all and every the lands, manses, glebes, tenements, houses, biggings, yards, tienda, teindsheaves, fruits, rents, and emoluments, profits and duties what ever belonging to the several chaplainries, prebendaries, and altarages, with the arrears thereof, all as enumerated in said grant:—That, in consequence of said royal grant, former advertisements were published in all the newspapers, notifying the same to those concerned, and requiring the heritors of the lands liable to make payment of the feu, teind, and other duties due to the said Wm. Rose:—That, since the above public advertisements, he has, by private correspondence and other communications, endeavoured to settle with those liable; and being still desirous to do so, he again thus intimates to them the said Royal grant, requesting that they will make payment of the respective feu and other duties due by them, on or before the term of Martinmas next, and thereby prevent the trouble and expence of legal proceedings. Those who wish to settle, therefore, will please call for Alexander Davidson, at the writing office of Mr George Robinson, clerk to the signet, who is empowered to grant discharges.

SALE OF A HOUSE,

MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 26th of August 1789, betwixt the hours of five and six o'clock afternoon,

THAT DWELLING-HOUSE, consisting of three rooms, a kitchen, and cellar, lying at the head of the Old Assembly Close, south side of the Cross of Edinburgh, being the first storey above the shops, the property of the late Mr Robert Bremner, and for many years occupied by him as a Music Shop, entering by the first fore stair above the Old Assembly Close. The House is substantially built and in good repair, being only about 30 years old. Its situation being in a public part of the town, renders it a most desirable purchase; and the two front rooms may, at a very small expence, be thrown into an elegant and capital wareroom.

The title-deeds and articles of roup may be seen, by applying to Horatius Cannan, writer to the signet.

There is still selling off at the above shop, the whole stock of Music and Musical Instruments, the property of said Robert Bremner.

As the goods must be immediately disposed of, they will be sold without reserve, and at prices so much below their value, as to merit the particular attention of the public.

Attendance is given at the shop every day, from eleven o'clock forenoon to eight o'clock in the evening.

SALE OF BELMOUNT.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday 5th August 1789, between the hours of six and seven afternoon, and to be entered or set up at 5000 l.

THE HOUSE, PLEASURE GROUNDS, and INCLOSURES of BELMOUNT, in the parish of Corstorphine, and county of Edinburgh; situated within two miles of the city of Edinburgh, on the great road leading to Linlithgow. The house is large, neatly finished, and in thorough repair, with office-houses of every kind, and fit to accommodate any gentleman's family.—The wood upon the estate is valuable.—The garden is well sheltered, and stocked with fruit-trees of the best kinds. The grounds, which consist of about 60 acres, Scots measure, is very completely fenced with stone walls, and subdivided into thirteen separate inclosures, all well watered, of a good soil, and laid down in the best order. The situation of this villa, upon the south side of Corstorphine hill, and commanding a beautiful and extensive prospect of Edinburgh, the Frith, and adjacent country, is so well known, that it is unnecessary to describe it.—For farther particulars, apply to John Tait, writer to the signet, Park Place, Edinburgh who will show the title-deeds, and has power to conclude a sale by private bargain.—The house and grounds will be shown on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, upon calling at the house of Belmount, from twelve to three o'clock afternoon.

NOTICE

To the CREDITORS of FRANCIS SWEDIAUR, Salt Manufacturer at Port Seton.

THAT, upon the application of the said Doctor Swediaur, with concurrence of a creditor to the extent required by law, the Lords of Council and Session sequestrated his whole real and personal estate, and appointed his creditors to meet within John's Coffeehouse, in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 5th day of August next, at twelve o'clock noon, in order to name an interim-factor on the said sequestrated estate. Of all which this public notice is given, in terms of the statute, and as directed by the Interlocutor of the Court.

FRANCIS HOWDEN,

Jeweller and Silver-smith,

IS now removed from the Parliament Close to that large shop, below the Merchants Hall, west side of Hunter's Square, South Bridge. Besides an elegant and complete assortment of JEWELLERY and SILVER PLATE, chiefly of his own manufacture, F. HOWDEN now offers to the Public a beautiful variety of those Plated and Hardware Articles, that are more nearly connected with these branches, (purchased by himself in London and the other manufacturing towns in England,) which he believes will bear a comparison with any goods of this kind that have yet appeared in this country.

The best prices given for old gold, silver, and lace.

LINLITHGOW AND STIRLINGSHIRE HUNT

MEET at Richard Forrester's, Linlithgow, on Saturday the 8th of August.—Dinner on the Table at Four o'clock.

THOMAS LIVINGSTON of Parkhall, Esq; in the Chair.

JOHN BAIRD of Manuelmill, Esq; Croupier.

As there is business of importance to be laid before the Meeting, it is requested as many of the Members will attend as possibly can.

THE Sale of the Lands and Estate of CULT, which was to have been on Friday the 31st current, is, at the desire of intended purchasers, put off till November next, as will be afterwards advertised.

INTIMATION TO RETAILERS of WINE.

WHEREAS, by several acts of Parliament respecting Retailers of Wine in Great Britain, it is in substance enacted, "That no person shall sell Wine, or any liquors "called or reputed Wine, or known by the name of Sweets "or Made Wines, by retail:" That is, in any less quantity than shall be equal to the measure of the cask in which the same may be lawfully imported, unless they are previously licensed for that purpose, under the penalty of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS: That every person so licensed, shall, if they continue to sell Wine by retail, take out a new license, ten days at least before the expiry of the year for which they are licensed: And that no person licensed to retail Wine, shall keep more than one place of sale, by virtue of one license; and they shall cause the word WINE to be written or expressed in legible characters, on their sign, or some visible part in the front of such place of sale, under the penalty of TEN POUNDS.

And whereas, several persons in Scotland have presumed to retail Wine, without being licensed, and others have neglected to renew their licenses ten days before the 5th day of July annually, in terms of law, whereby it is become necessary to commence prosecutions in the Court of Exchequer, against a number of transgressors, for recovery of the statutory penalties, which has been attended with great expence to them,—This intimation is therefore given to all persons offending against the acts of Parliament before referred to, That unless they immediately comply with the law in the several particulars before mentioned, the like prosecutions will be commenced against them.

By Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of the Stamp Duties, ALEX. MENZIES, Coll.

Edinburgh, July 15. 1789.

CARRON WAREHOUSE,

NO. 34. EAST SIDE SOUTH BRIDGE STREET.

JAMES BERTRAM returns grateful acknowledgments to the Nobility, Gentry, and Public in general, for the countenance already received in this very early stage of his business. He will make it a point to be ever particularly well assorted in the goods manufactured by Carron Company, and any other articles he may deal in, as expressed at large in hand bills given out at the warehouse, which Ladies and Gentlemen will be so obliging as send for.

The following are a few of the articles already come to hand.

Great variety of these newly invented Windsor and Kensington Patent Stoves, for drawing-rooms, ornamented with inlaid jewellery in foil stones of various colours, being the only kind used in his Majesty's Palace at Windsor.

Superb Patent Chimney-pieces decorated with the most beautiful inlaid jewellery, representing suns, stars, roses, &c. with copperplate figures of Music, Painting and Poetry, highly finished.

Great quantities of Bath, Pantheon, and William's Grates, ready mounted to any vent, newest figures.

Register, Smoke and Yorkshire Stoves, ditto.

Hayworth, Laundry, and Pyramid ditto.

Gothic, Pedestal, & Obelisk ditto, for halls, churches, &c.

Fenders and Fire Irons, every kind.

Kitchen Ranges, with Racks, Pinions, and Trivets.

Cylinder and Square Ovens, with Boiling Tables, Furnaces, &c.

All sorts of patent Tea Kettles, Sauce and Stew Pans, Fish Kettles, Pots, &c.

Smoothing & Box Irons.—Chamber & common Bellows.

Skewers, Spits, and Flesh Forks.

Coal Hackets, Branders, and Fire Pans.

Jacks, all kinds, with Furnitore.

Medallions for Chimney Pieces, representing the marriage of Cupid and Psyche, the ancient Bacchanalia and Saturnalia,—armour of Achilles, shield of Pallas, &c. from the splendid reveries of Homer and Ovid.

N. B. Noblemen and Gentlemen's houses fitted, on the shortest notice, with every article in the Carron line; and persons properly qualified sent to any place in the Kingdom to measure vents, situations for erecting ovens, pedestals, Gothick or obelisk stoves, furnaces, boiling tables, &c.

Orders taken for Cast Iron Railing, Gentlemen's Gates, and every other article manufactured by Carron Company

SALE OF LANDS

IN KINROSS-SHIRE.

THE Lands and Estate of COLDON, lying in the parish and shire of Kinross, are to be Sold by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, either jointly or in lots, upon Wednesday the 12th day of August next, at six o'clock afternoon, if not sold by private bargain betwixt and that time.

The lands consist of about 740 Scots acres, partly inclosed and sheltered with thriving belts of planting, and are all out of lease at Martinmas next. They are pleasantly situated upon the side of Loch Leven, and are bounded by it to the extent of near two miles; and the access to them is by a road which runs through them. The grounds are of a good dry soil, calculated either for tillage or pasture, and they are capable of great improvement at a moderate expence, as there are lime and coal within a few miles of them, and they lie in the immediate neighbourhood of the town of Kinross, where plenty of manure may be had.

The lands hold mostly of the Crown, and entitle the proprietor to a freehold qualification in the county. The title-deeds are clear, and, if agreeable to a purchaser, the greatest part of the price will be allowed to remain in his hands.

If sold in lots, one lot will comprehend the grounds upon the east side of the turnpike road, excepting a small part at the west end of Loch Leven. This lot will consist of about 510 acres; and the purchaser will have a freehold qualification in the county.

The other lot will consist of the whole grounds upon the west side of the road, and the park at the west end of the loch, extending together to about 230 acres.

Those who wish to see the plan, title-deeds, and articles of roup, or to be informed of farther particulars, may apply to Mr Gourlay of Craigrothie, or to John Syme, writer in Edinburgh, either of whom have power to sell the lands by private bargain.

At Greenock—for Kingston, Jamaica

THE SHIP

BETSEY AND BROTHERS,

John Dunnet Master,

Will be ready to take on board goods by the 15th August—clear to sail by the 15th September.

For freight or passage, apply to Stewart, Macneil, and Gilfoury, Archibald and John Mackinlay, Edinburgh, and F. Forresters and Co. Leith.

By Order of the Honourable
The Commissioners of his Majesty's Customs.

To be exposed to public sale, in the Customhouses of the Ports, and upon the respective days after mentioned, at 12 o'clock each day,

THE following GOODS, which have been condemned in his Majesty's Court of Exchequer:

DUNDEE, Friday 31st July.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 427¼ Gallons Geneva, 78½ gallons Brandy, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 27 gallons Brandy, and 8 gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

MONTROSE, Saturday 1st August.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 196½ Gallons Geneva, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 98½ gallons Geneva, and 6¼ gallons Brandy, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

ABERDEEN, Monday 3d August.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 335¼ Gallons Geneva, 9 gallons Brandy, and 7 gallons Rum, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—12 Pieces Foreign Nankeen, 23¼ pounds Counterfeit Halfpence, and a Boat, burden about 5 tons, with 4 oars.

LEITH, Tuesday, 4th August.

The Hull of the cutter Nimble, *to be broken up*, and her materials to be sold entire.

INVERNESS, Tuesday 4th August.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 216 Gallons Geneva, 384 gallons Brandy, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 7 gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—A parcel of Wax Candles, Black Tea, and an open boat, burden about 8 tons, with her materials, to be sold entire.

OBAN, Thursday, 6th August.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 6244 Gallons Geneva, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 82 gallons Brandy, 2121 gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—18 Bottles Cordials, 48 pounds Lump Sugar, a parcel of Cafe Bottles, and an open boat, burden about 5 tons, with her materials. The Snow Resolution, (burthen about 128 tons) and materials to be sold entire, together with the materials of the sloop Isabella; the Hull of which vessel is to be broken up.

DUMFRIES, Thursday, 6th August.

A parcel of Deals and Spars.

PORT-GLASGOW, Saturday 8th Aug.

Foreign Spirits—867 Gallons Brandy, and 36½ gallons Geneva, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 150½ gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—1217 Pounds fine Black Tea, with the Hulls of the Cutters King George and Duchess of Hamilton, *to be broken up*, and their materials to be sold entire.

STRANRAER, Monday 10th Aug.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 22 Gallons Geneva, 8 gallons Brandy, and 15 gallons Rum, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—8 gallons Cordial Waters, 85 pounds Tea, and a parcel of Irish Lawns and Hard Soap.

WIGTON, Tuesday 11th Aug.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 95¼ Gallons Geneva, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 115 gallons Brandy, and 8 gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—A parcel of China, and a Long Open Boat.

KIRKCUDBRIGHT, Wednesday 12th Aug.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 161¼ Gallons Geneva, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 42 gallons Brandy, and 111 Gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

The Hull of the Smack Mayflower, *to be broken up*, and her materials to be sold entire.

AYR, Thursday 13th Aug.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 47 gallons Geneva, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof; 529 Gallons Brandy, and 49 gallons Rum, not below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

18 pieces Nankeen.

KIRKWALL, Thursday, 20th Aug.

Foreign Spirits, viz. 929½ gallons Geneva, and 9 gallons Rum, below the strength of 1 in 6 under hydrometer proof.

Other Articles—4 gallons Cinnamon Waters, 6 bottles Cordials, 36 Ufers, 4 bushels Salt, with the Hulls of the Sloops Noble Ann and Amphitrite, *to be broken up*, and their materials to be sold entire.

N. B. Purchasers will take notice, that by the act of the 26th Geo. III. cap 73, sec. 31, it is, amongst other things, enacted, *That no distiller or distillers, maker or makers, rectifier or rectifiers, compounder or compounders of spirits, or any dealer or dealers in Spirits, shall sell or send out any foreign spirits of a lower degree of strength than that of one in six under hydrometer proof, nor have in his, her, or their custody or possession, any quantity of foreign spirits mixed together, (except shrub, cherry, or Raspberry Brandy) of a lower degree of strength than as aforesaid, upon pain of all such spirits being forfeited and lost, together with the packages containing the same.*

And, by the 34th sect. of the same statute, it is enacted, *That if any British rectified Spirits, or any mixture of British Spirits with foreign Spirits, shall be found in the custody of any dealer or dealers in spirits, not being a rectifier or compounder of British Spirits, exceeding the strength of 1 in 8 under hydrometer proof, the same, together with the casks and vessels containing the same, shall be forfeited and lost.*

Purchasers will also take notice, *That 25 per cent. of the purchase-money is to be deposited, and the same to be forfeited, unless the goods are taken away within the time to be limited by the conditions of sale.*

LANDS FOR SALE

In the county of Forfar, and vicinity of Dundee.

ON Friday the 31st day of August next, between the hours of one and two afternoon, will be SOLD by public roup, within the Coffeehouse of Dundee,

TWENTY-FOUR ACRES or thereby of ARABLE LAND, lying on the east side of the Hilltown of Dundee, and on the high road leading from Dundee to Forfar.

These lands are to be holden of the exposer, for payment of 5 l Sterling of yearly feu-duty; and as they are situated in the neighbourhood of a large town, they may be subfeued to great advantage. The purchaser will have the privilege of gathering dung within the town of Dundee, for manuring the ground.

The articles of roup may be seen in the hands of John Ogilvy writer in Dundee, who will also show the ground, and give any further information that may be desired by intending purchasers.

NOTICE.

IN the ranking and sale, at the instance of Messr. EDIE AND LAIRD, merchants in London, and their attornies, with concourse of his Majesty's Advocate, against Jean and Elizabeth Weirs, only children of the deceased John Weir of Kerse, and their tutors and curators, and all and sundry the creditors of the said deceased John Weir, it having been discovered, since raising the process, that the following lands, other than those libelled, belonged to the common debtors, viz. All and haill the twenty shilling land of Daldaholme, ten shilling land of Clouochgett, one merk land of Priestholm, and five merk land of Panneill, with the several houses, yards, mosses, muirs, meadows, teinds, and pertinents, lying within the barony of Lesmahagoe, and sheriffdom of Lanark, and as more fully described in the original rights and infeftments thereof—The Lord Hailes, Ordinary to the said ranking, by interlocutor, dated 22d July instant, ordained intimation to be made, that the above mentioned lands, discovered to belong to the bankrupts, besides those mentioned in the libelled summons of ranking and sale, are to be sold as part of the bankrupts estate, by authority of the Court, alongst with the other lands libelled; and appointed this notice thereof, so as the same may come to the knowledge of all concerned.

H. S. CALLENDER Clerk.

SALE OF LANDS,
AND OF
AN EXTENSIVE OAK WOOD
IN EAST-LOTHIAN.

To be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within John's Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, on Monday the 10th day of August next, betwixt the hours of five and seven in the afternoon,

THE Lands, Barony and Estate of *WESTER PENTCAITLAND*, comprehending the farms and possessions after mentioned, lying in the parish of Pentcaithod, and county of Haddington.

These lands are of considerable extent, consisting of about 846 acres, English measure. Some part (such as meadows) are generally kept in pasture, yet, in fact, the whole is arable; and, although mostly inclosed and subdivided with hedge and ditch, or stone walls, yet the same is still capable of great improvement, being in general of the very best soil, and situated in the centre of a fertile country, in the near neighbourhood of the markets of Haddington, Dalkeith, Musselburgh, &c. and possessing within themselves every mean of improvement, there being coal and lime in all the farms.——The coal in these lands, considering the present state of the adjacent coalworks, on being sitted and set a going, which can be done at no great expence, must immediately turn out a productive and very lucrative property.—There were proposals made to the late proprietor for a lease of the coal, either a fixed rent, or the fifth load of outputs, the proprietor to put on a check-grieve, or to pay so much annually for each pickman employed, the number not being under 12 at least: And a permission was granted to make trials, but no lease has been hitherto granted. In consequence of these and former trials the existence and seams of coal are ascertained.——Independent of the wood to be hereafter mentioned, and of a good deal of valuable timber in hedge rows, &c. on the different farms, there is on one of the farms a thriving plantation of oak, ash, &c about eighteen years old, covering about twenty-five acres English measure, well kept and fenced, and in excellent order.

The whole lands are held blench of the Crown, and stand rated in the cess-books at 1118 l. 17 s. 3 d. Scots, of valued rent. This valuation is accurately and distinctly subdivided; and, as there is a very old Retour, ascertaining a part of the estate (which impinges very little on the valued rent) to be a Forty Shilling land of old extent, very near three frechold qualifications in the county of Haddington, can be made on the valued rents, besides another frechold qualification on the Retour; and there is a crown charter already expede, the precept in which is yet unexecuted.——There are complete heritable rights to the teinds, and the public burdens

The leases on this estate are in general nearly expired.—The whole farms are steel-bow, and the thirlage is, by agreement, already abolished at the expiry of the present lease of the mill.

The present yearly rent, exclusive of the coal, is only 545 l. 10 s. sterling. But as all the leases (except one to be hereafter noticed) are nearly expired, it is assured on the most respectable authority of persons of skill, as well as on private offers already made, that, at the issue of the leases, the same would set, and be moderately rented, at 720 l. Sterling, per annum—upset price, including the coal and whole superiorities, to be 21,000 l. Sterling.

AS ALSO,

The *WOOD of PENTCAITLAND*, at Woodhall, one of the farms on the estate before mentioned.

The Wood is chiefly Oak; a small part of it has been already cut, but what remains to cut occupies about 75 acres, English measure, and contains upwards of 24,500 oak trees, and about 9000 birch, besides ash, &c. The situation is advantageous for the sale of bark, being at a convenient distance from Leith, Edinburgh, Haddington, Dalkeith, &c.

The last cutting of this wood commenced in the year 1746, and continued for eleven years; and nine or ten years are to be allowed for the present cutting—to be paid by yearly instalments.

If the wood is sold separate from the estate, there is to be a reservation in favour of the purchaser of the estate, or of the stole of the wood, to mark annually, and prefix any such number of trees, as he may chuse shall not be cut, on paying the value thereof to the purchaser of the wood, according as the same shall be determined by neutral persons.—The upset price of the wood to be 2400 l. Sterling.

If offerers do not appear for the estate in one lot, the same will be exposed to public roup, in the following lots, viz.

LOT I.

The WESTER FARM of PENTCAITLAND, with the teinds and pertinents, as presently possessed by the heirs of Andrew Muter, consisting of about 122 acres, English measure, paying of present rent 121 l. 4 s. Sterling, (converting the hens at 7 d.)——The present lease expires at Martinmas 1790. There is the best reason to believe that this farm would then set on a permanent lease, and be moderately rented at 140 l. Sterling, per annum—upset price to be 4000 l. Sterling, which is about 28 years purchase of the computed rent. This lot to hold feu of the exposer, or the purchaser of lot 7th, for payment of 5 s. Sterling of feu-duty, yearly, and doubling the feu duty on the entry of every heir or singular successor, in full of every other casuality; and the coal also to be referred to the exposer or purchaser of lot 7th.

LOT II.

The NORTH FARM OF PENTCAITLAND, with the teinds and pertinents, as presently possessed by Archibald Logan, consisting of about 58 acres, English measure, and paying of present rent 50 l. 11 s. Sterling. The present lease expires at Martinmas 1791, and there is the best reason to know, that this farm would then set, and be moderately rented at 75 l. Sterling *per annum*. On this farm there is a well stocked pigeon house, on which no rent is stated. 2dly, The EASTER FARM OF PENCAITLAND, with the Brew-steading, &c. as presently possessed by John Hunter, consisting of about 50 acres, English measure, and paying of present rent 60 l. 7 s. Sterling.—The present lease expires at Martinmas 1797; and, it is computed, as aforesaid, that this farm would then set, and be moderately rented at 70 l. Sterling. 3dly, Sundry COTLAND POSSESSIONS, mostly without lease, presently in the occupation of John Merrylees, Robert Ross, James Bairnsfather, Mr George Anderson minister, William Park's heirs, and the cottages and yards in the town or village of Pencaitland, presently occupied by sundries, consisting in all of about 25 acres, English measure, and paying of present rent 30 l. 16 s. Sterling, and would set on permanent leases at 36 l. Sterling at least. 4thly, The BLEACHFIELD OF KINCHEY, presently possessed by the heirs of John Mossman, consisting of between 3 and 4 acres, English measure, and paying of present rent 3 l. Sterling. On this bleachfield there are valuable houses and offices built, which fall to the proprietor at the end of the lease; but on account of the long endearance of it, no value is put on this circumstance. Upset price of this lot to be 5100 l. Sterling, which is short of 28 years purchase of the computed rents. This lot to hold feu of the exposer, or the purchaser of the superiority, for payment of five shillings sterling of feu-duty; and the coal to be also reserved as aforesaid.

LOT III.

The FARM OF WOODHALL, with the teinds and pertinents, as presently possessed by the heirs of William Park, consisting of about 115 acres English measure, and paying of present rent 65 l. Sterling. The present lease expires at Martinmas 1792, and would then set, and be moderately rented at 85 l. Sterling per annum. Also, the STOLE of the WOOD of WOODHALL, consisting of about 80 acres, English measure, subject to the cutting of the present wood for 10 years. The pasturage of this wood is moderately computed from 15 l. to 20 l. Sterling *per annum*, independent of the value of the next growth of the wood. Upset price of this lot to be 3000 l. which is about 28 years purchase of the computed rent, without putting any value on the growth of the wood. This lot to hold feu of the exposer, or purchaser of the superiority thereof for payment of five shillings Sterling of feu-duty, and the coal to be also reserved as aforesaid.

LOT IV.

The FARM OF BROOMRIG, with the teinds and pertinents, as presently possessed by Miss Menzies and her subtenants, consisting of about 168 acres, English measure.—This farm has long been possessed by near relations of the family of the proprietor, without lease. Part of it is possessed by subtenants, at a rent of from 60 l. to 70 l. and a considerable part of the best grounds in Miss Menzies's natural possession. And the whole would instantly set on a permanent lease, and be moderately rented at 135 l. Sterling per annum. On this possession, besides the farm-steading and offices, there is a neat modern mansion house, in good repair, pleasantly situated, with a garden adjoining, elegantly laid out, and well stocked with fruit trees, &c. Upset price to be 3800 l. Sterling, which is about 28 years purchase of the computed rent, without putting any value on the house and garden.——This lot to hold feu of the exposer or purchaser of the superiority thereof, for payment of 5 s. Sterling of feu-duty. The coal to be referred as aforesaid.

LOT V.

The FARM OF FOULSTRUTHER, with the teinds and pertinents, as presently possessed by Mr Andrew Wight, consisting of thirteen inclosures, containing in all about 222 acres, English measure. Having been set out of favour to the present tackfman, only pays 59 l. 7 s. Sterling. The present lease expires at Martinmas 1809; and would then set, and be moderately rented at 150 l. Sterling per annum. On this farm there is a thriving plantation of oak, ash, &c. about 18 years old, covering about 25 acres, English measure, well kept and fenced. And in this plantation the tenant has not even the privilege of pasturage.—The upset price to be 3000 l. Sterling, which, on account of the endurance of the present lease, is only 20 years purchase of the computed rent.——This lot also to be held feu, and the coal reserved as aforesaid.

LOT VI.

The KIRKLANDS OF PENCAITLAND, with the teinds and pertinents, as presently possessed by Mrs Dickson and John Dickson her son, paying of present rent 5 l. 5 s. Sterling.——John Dickson's possession is of a quarter of an acre on a perpetual lease, at the rent of 1 l. Sterling per annum, and the remainder without lease.—Of these lands there is a retour in the 1590, ascertaining the same to be a forty-shilling land of old extent.—The upset price of property and superiority to be 400 l. Sterling, which is rating the property at 150 l. Sterling, and the superiority at 250 l. Sterling.

LOT VII.

The Feu-duty and Superiority of the WESTER FARM OF PENTCAITLAND, possessed by Andrew Muter's heir, rated in the cess books at a valuation of L. 273 11 11

Ditto of EASTER FARM of ditto, John Hunter's, - - - 136 4 3

Sum valuation, Scots L. 409 16 2

Upset price to be 2501 Sterling.

LOT VIII.

The Feu-duties and Superiority of BROOMRIG, rated in the cess-books at a valuation of L. 225 14 10

North Farm of PENTCAITLAND, Archibald Logan, ditto, - - 114 2 3

Sundry small possessions of lot 2d separately, valued at - - - 63 15 5

Sum valuation, Scots L. 403 12 6

Upset price to be 250 l Sterling.

LOT IX.

The Feu-duty and Superiority of FOULSTRUTHER, rated in the cess-books at a valuation of L. 133 19 6

Ditto of WOODHALL, ditto, 146 14 7

Sundry small possessions in Pentcaitland, rented at - - - 12 17 7

Sum valuation, Scots L. 293 11 8

The upset price to be 200 l. Sterling.

LOT X.

The property of the coal in the whole foresaid lands and farms.——The upset price to be specified in a future advertisement

The forrester at Woodhall will show the wood and boundaries, &c. and the different tenants will readily show the farms.

For further particulars apply to George Jeffrey, writer in Edinburgh, who will show the surveys, leases, rentals, and articles of roup, &c. and has authority to treat for a private bargian betwixt and the day of roup.

BY ADJOURNMENT,

JUDICIAL SALE OF LANDS IN ABERDEENSHIRE.

Upset Price still farther Reduced.

To be SOLD by public roup, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, in the Parliament or New Session-House at Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 5th of August 1789, between the hours of five and six afternoon,

THE Remaining Part of the Lands and Estate which belonged to ALEXANDER ACHYNDACHY of KINCRAIGIE, viz.

The Town and Lands of Cluddy, Meikleboath, Mains, Mill-head, Achreduchy, and Beddiesthilloch; the Lands of Old Keig, and Mill thereof, with the teinds and pertinents, all lying within the parish of Keig, and sheriffdom of Aberdeen.

The proven yearly rent of these lands is 129 l. 11 s. 2 d. 1-12th Sterling, which, at 25 years purchase, is 3238 l. 19 s. 10 d. 4-12ths Sterling, but, on different applications to the Court, is now reduced to 2780 l. Sterling, which is to be the upset-price.

These lands are situated in a rich country, are capable of great improvement; and, being out of lease at present, a considerable rise of rent may be expected.

The title-deeds, rental, and measurement of the lands, and articles of roup, may be seen in the hands of George Kirkpatrick, depute clerk of Session. And, for further information, application may be made to John Gordon, clerk to the forget, agent in the sale; or John Durno, or David Morice, advocates in Aberdeen.

LANDS IN PERTHSHIRE.

To be SOLD by roup, in the house of Andrew Duff, vintner at Inver, near Dunkeld, upon Thursday the 17th September 1789, betwixt one and three afternoon,

THE LANDS of BALNAGUARD, Mill and Mill-Lands thereof, with the Town and Lands of BALNAVERT, lying within the parish of Little Dunkeld, on the great road, about half way betwixt Inver and Taymouth, 16 computed miles from Perth, and 6 from Dunkeld.

The lands lie contiguous, and consist of an extensive tract of rich level or haugh arable ground, pleasantly situated along the south side of the river Tay. There is an extensive hill, abounding with game, and remarkable for breeding of black cattle and sheep, belonging to these lands, which lie in the heart of a pleasant, warm, and populous country. The mansion-house is at present converted into an inn, and affords much satisfaction to travellers.

There is also upon the lands a great deal of old and young planting, of different kinds of timber. All the arable land is in the natural state, and capable of great improvement. There are no tacks on any part of the lands or mill. The whole, by a late measurement, consists of about 311 acres of arable, meadow and pasture ground, exclusive of the extensive property of hill.

The lands hold of the Duke of Atholl; and the present free rent is about 174 l.

For further particulars, apply to William Small, writer in Perth, who will show the rental, measurement, title-deeds, and articles of roup; Robert Tait, at Balnaguard, will show the grounds.

AT LEITH,
For Kingston, Jamaica, direct,
THE BRIG FLORA,
DAVID FOTHERINGHAM Master,
English built, about 250 tons burden,
Is ready to take in goods, and will sail the 15th of August.

For freight or passage apply to William Sibbald and Co. merchants, Leith.

LANDS FOR SALE,
IN THE COUNTY OF TWEEDALE.

To be SOLD by public roup, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, on Monday the 10th of August next, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, betwixt the hours of six and seven o'clock afternoon,

THE ESTATE of KAILZIE, lying in the parishes of Traquair and Peebles, the free rent of which is about 400 l Sterling. The soil is good and dry, and the whole estate (excepting the hill and sheep grounds) is well inclosed, subdivided, watered, and sheltered. There are on it many thriving young plantations, besides a considerable quantity of old timber. The mansion-house is very pleasantly situated upon the banks of the river Tweed, two miles below Peebles, and twenty-four miles from Edinburgh, to both which towns there are good turnpike-roads. The house is large, commodious, and in good repair; and has offices of every sort, and a well-stocked pigeon house, and two large kitchen gardens. The estate holds of the Crown, and gives a freehold qualification in the county of Peebles. It is in a good sporting country, and the purchaser may get possession immediately of the mansion house, garden, and offices, and, at Martinmas next, of eight inclosures that were in the proprietor's natural possession, all of which are in excellent condition.

The premisses will be shown to any person calling at the house of Kailzie; and for further particulars, enquire at John Orr, Esq; of Barrowfield, at Glasgow, and James Baillie, at the Stamp-Office, Edinburgh, who will show the rental and progress of writs.

SALE OF LANDS IN ROSS-SHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 5th of August, 1789, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon,

THE LANDS lying in and about the Towns of Fortrose and Rosemarkie, which belonged to the deceased Sir *Alexander Grant* of Dalvey, Bart. pleasantly situated along the bays of Fortrose and Avoch holding feu partly of the Magistrates of Fortrose, and partly of Alexander Ross, Esq. of Cromarty. The free rent, after deduction of public burdens and feu-duties, is 190 l 10 s. 11 d. Sterling; and, for encouragement of offerers, they are to be exposed at the upset price of 4000 l. Sterling.

If the lands are not sold *in cumulo*, it is proposed to expose them in the following lots.

Lot I.—The Lands called Nine Rigs, including the yard or croft called Pitcroft. Free rent 29 l 16 s. 4 d.

Lot II.—The Lands and Fields called Easter Hill of Fortrose, including the Pendicle of Land called Munnabrook, and the lands called Lutchefwards, and the benefit of the new loft in the kirk of Rosemarkie. Free rent, 23 l. 10 s. 9 d.

Lot III.—The Lands called Gallowbank, Lochlands, Hakesh ll, and Millcroft; also that Rig of Ground Cost called Talecroit, with the House and Gardens, called the Factory Houses, and the benefit of a good table seat in the kirk. Free rent 28 l 6 s. 6 d.

Lot IV.—The Lands called Longness Acres, Castleplank, and Leg. Free rent, 27 l. 7 s. 6 d.

Lot V.—East and Wester Thornycleatys, including the Lands called Reybank. Free rent, 2 l. 14 s.

Lot VI.—The Lands called Cast of Greengate, and Cast of Waterford. Free rent, 28 l. 12 s. 9 d.

Lot VII.—The Fields called Husband Shade, and the Rigg called Play Rigg. Free rent, 28 l 3 s. 6 d.

Persons intending to purchase, may apply to Mr William Keith, accountant in Edinburgh, who has power to sell by private bargain; and Isaac Grant, writer to the signet, will show the title-deeds, rental, articles of roup, and plan of the lands.

SALE OF AN ESTATE IN FIFE.

TO be SOLD, the Barony of BALCANQUAL, lying in the parish of Strathmiglo, and shire of Fife.

This estate consists of 650 Scots acres, mostly arable. The present gross rent is 245 l. Sterling, out of which there is payable about 12 l. of public burthens. The lands are only rented, to good and substantial tenants, and the farm-steadings have been lately put into complete repair. The proprietor has right to the teinds which are valued, and the parish kirk and manse have been lately rebuilt, no parochial burthens can come upon the estate for many years.

There are 200 acres of the estate inclosed and subdivided, with stone dykes, hedges, and very thriving belts of wood, which in a very few years will be of considerable value, and otherwise capable of great improvement, will rise in the rent without any outlay, and affords a freehold qualification in the county.

The lands lie within four miles of the port of Newburgh, one of Burntisland, and 8 miles of Perth, has easy access to the great road leading between both, and the road from Kinross to Cupar goes along the estate.

A considerable part of the price will be left in the purchaser's hands, if agreeable to him.

For further particulars apply to the proprietor, Mr Sandilands of Nuthill, or John Young, writer to the signet.

SALE OF STONNYWOOD, *by Public Roup.*
ADJOURNED

At the desire of persons intending to purchase.

THAT upon Wednesday the 12th day of August 1789, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon, there will be exposed to sale by public roup, within the house of Peter Wilkie vintner in Aberdeen,

The Lands and Barony of STONNYWOOD, and Salmon Fishings on the river Don belonging thereto, lying within the parish of Newhills, and county of Aberdeen.

These lands yield at present above 460 l Sterling of free rent after payment of cess, teind-duty, and all other public burdens, and afford more than a freehold qualification in the county.

The teinds are valued and exhausted, which must be of great advantage to the purchaser.

The mantion house, which is large and commodious, and the greatest part of the estate, are pleasantly situated upon the banks of the river Don, and only about four English miles from Aberdeen, whereby the lands may be easily improved at a moderate expence, and have a ready market for every kind of produce.

The well-known village of GREENBURN is part of the estate, upon which two great annual fairs, as well as several other trysts for the sale of cattle, are held: and the proprietor has a right to the multures of the estate, upon which there is also a mill.

The lands are of excellent soil, and highly improvable, and are at present very low rented; but on the expiry of the present leases, which are in general short, great rises of rent will be obtained, particularly on a capital paper-mill; and there are plenty of water-falls for machinery on the river.

The articles of roup, rentals, and title-deeds of the estate, will be shown by John Ramsay, Esq; of Barra, or Alexander Carnegie, advocate in Aberdeen; and copies of the rental are to be seen in the hands of Mr Isaac Grant, clerk to the signet, Edinburgh.

The above valuable estate will be first exposed altogether; but, if not sold in that way, it will be at same time divided, and exposed to sale in two separate lots; the one composed of what is called the Wester Barony, and the other of the Easter or Lower Barony, as they will be more particularly described in the articles of roup.

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